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Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33 (b).

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The following utility patent application is enclosed for filing:

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Title of Invention: **NOVEL HUMAN POLYNUCLEOTIDES AND THE POLYPEPTIDES ENCODED THEREBY****PATENT APPLICATION FEE VALUE**

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- ☒ Priority of application no. 60/106,442 filed on October 30, 1998 is claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 119.

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